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Fill in this information to identify your case:		
United States Bankruptcy Court for the:		
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS		
Case number (if known)	Chapter you are filing under:	
	☐ Chapter 7	
	☐ Chapter 11	
	☐ Chapter 12	
	■ Chapter 13	Check if this an amended filing

### Official Form 101

### **Voluntary Petition for Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy**

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The bankruptcy forms use you and Debtor 1 to refer to a debtor filing alone. A married couple may file a bankruptcy case together—called a *joint case*—and in joint cases, these forms use you to ask for information from both debtors. For example, if a form asks, "Do you own a car," the answer would be yes if either debtor owns a car. When information is needed about the spouses separately, the form uses *Debtor 1* and *Debtor 2* to distinguish between them. In joint cases, one of the spouses must report information as *Debtor 1* and the other as *Debtor 2*. The same person must be *Debtor 1* in all of the forms.

Be as complete and accurate as possible. If two married people are filing together, both are equally responsible for supplying correct information. If more space is needed, attach a separate sheet to this form. On the top of any additional pages, write your name and case number (if known). Answer every question.

Pai	rt 1: Identify Yourself		
		About Debtor 1:	About Debtor 2 (Spouse Only in a Joint Case):
1.	Your full name		
	Write the name that is on your government-issued picture identification (for example, your driver's license or passport).	Luis First name  M.  Middle name	First name  Middle name
	Bring your picture identification to your meeting with the trustee.	Contreras Last name and Suffix (Sr., Jr., II, III)	Last name and Suffix (Sr., Jr., II, III)
2.	All other names you ha used in the last 8 years		
	Include your married or maiden names.		
3.	Only the last 4 digits of your Social Security number or federal Individual Taxpayer Identification number (ITIN)	xxx-xx-5922	

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		About Debtor 1:	About Debtor 2 (Spouse Only in a Joint Case):
4.	Any business names and Employer Identification Numbers (EIN) you have used in the last 8 years Include trade names and doing business as names	■ I have not used any business name or EINs.  Business name(s)  EINs	☐ I have not used any business name or EINs.  Business name(s)  EINs
5.	Where you live	25 Allen Drive	If Debtor 2 lives at a different address:
		Elgin, IL 60120 Number, Street, City, State & ZIP Code	Number, Street, City, State & ZIP Code
		Cook County	County
		If your mailing address is different from the one above, fill it in here. Note that the court will send any notices to you at this mailing address.	If Debtor 2's mailing address is different from yours, fill it in here. Note that the court will send any notices to this mailing address.
		Number, P.O. Box, Street, City, State & ZIP Code	Number, P.O. Box, Street, City, State & ZIP Code
6.	Why you are choosing this district to file for	Check one:	Check one:
	bankruptcy	Over the last 180 days before filing this petition, I have lived in this district longer than in any other district.	Over the last 180 days before filing this petition, I have lived in this district longer than in any other district.
		☐ I have another reason. Explain. (See 28 U.S.C. § 1408.)	☐ I have another reason. Explain. (See 28 U.S.C. § 1408.)

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7.	The chapter of the	Chack	cone (For a h	riaf description	of each see Notice Required by	11 LLS C. & 342(h) for Individuals Filing for Bankruptov		
٠.	Bankruptcy Code you are	Check one. (For a brief description of each, see Notice Required by 11 U.S.C. § 342(b) for Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy (Form 2010)). Also, go to the top of page 1 and check the appropriate box.						
	choosing to file under	☐ Ch	napter 7					
		☐ Ch	napter 11					
		☐ Ch	napter 12					
		■ Ch	napter 13					
8.	How you will pay the fee		about how yo	u may pay. Ty <sub>l</sub> attorney is sub	pically, if you are paying the fee yo	k with the clerk's office in your local court for more details urself, you may pay with cash, cashier's check, or money alf, your attorney may pay with a credit card or check with		
					e fee in installments. If you choose this option, sign and attach the Application for Individuals to Pay Installments (Official Form 103A).			
			but is not req applies to you	n only if you are filing for Chapter 7. By law, a judge may, ur income is less than 150% of the official poverty line tha installments). If you choose this option, you must fill out ial Form 103B) and file it with your petition.				
			то пррпосте	in to riave the	Onapter 1 1 mily 1 do Walved (Cilic	and really date the it with your petitions.		
9. Have you filed for bankruptcy within the last 8 years?								
	-		District		When	Case number		
			District		When	Case number		
			District		When	Case number		
10.	Are any bankruptcy	■ No						
	cases pending or being filed by a spouse who is not filing this case with you, or by a business partner, or by an affiliate?	☐ Ye	S.					
			Debtor			Relationship to you		
			District		When	Case number, if known		
			Debtor			Relationship to you		
			District		When	Case number, if known		
11.	Do you rent your residence?	■ No	. Go to l	ne 12.				
		☐ Ye	s. Has yo	ur landlord obt	ained an eviction judgment agains	t you and do you want to stay in your residence?		
				No. Go to line	12.			
				Yes. Fill out Ir	nitial Statement About an Eviction .	Judgment Against You (Form 101A) and file it with this		

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ar	Report About Any Bu	sinesses `	You Own	as a Sole Proprie	tor			
12.	Are you a sole proprietor of any full- or part-time business?	■ No.	Go to I	Part 4.				
		☐ Yes.	Name	and location of bus	siness			
	A sole proprietorship is a business you operate as an individual, and is not a separate legal entity such as a corporation, partnership, or LLC.		Name	of business, if any				
	If you have more than one sole proprietorship, use a separate sheet and attach		Numbe	er, Street, City, Sta	te & ZIP Code			
	it to this petition.		Check	the appropriate bo	x to describe your business:			
				Health Care Busin	ness (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(27A))			
				Single Asset Real	Estate (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(51B))			
				Stockbroker (as d	efined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(53A))			
				Commodity Broke	er (as defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(6))			
				None of the above	Э			
13.	Are you filing under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code and are you a small business debtor?	deadlines operation	e filing under Chapter 11, the court must know whether you are a small business debtor so that it can set appropriate es. If you indicate that you are a small business debtor, you must attach your most recent balance sheet, statement of ns, cash-flow statement, and federal income tax return or if any of these documents do not exist, follow the procedure S.C. 1116(1)(B).					
	For a definition of small	■ No.	I am not filing under Chapter 11.					
	business debtor, see 11 U.S.C. § 101(51D).	□ No.	I am fil Code.	I am filing under Chapter 11, but I am NOT a small business debtor according to the definition in the Bankruptcy Code.				
		☐ Yes.	I am fil	ing under Chapter	11 and I am a small business debtor according to the definition in the Bankruptcy Code.			
Par	t 4: Report if You Own or	Have Any	Hazardo	us Property or An	y Property That Needs Immediate Attention			
14.	Do you own or have any	■ No.						
	property that poses or is alleged to pose a threat of imminent and identifiable hazard to	☐ Yes.	What is the	he hazard?				
	public health or safety? Or do you own any property that needs			ate attention is				
	immediate attention?		needed, v	why is it needed?				
	For example, do you own perishable goods, or livestock that must be fed, or a building that needs urgent repairs?		Where is	the property?				
					Number, Street, City, State & Zip Code			

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Part 5:

Explain Your Efforts to Receive a Briefing About Credit Counseling

 Tell the court whether you have received a briefing about credit counseling.

The law requires that you receive a briefing about credit counseling before you file for bankruptcy. You must truthfully check one of the following choices. If you cannot do so, you are not eligible to file.

If you file anyway, the court can dismiss your case, you will lose whatever filing fee you paid, and your creditors can begin collection activities again.

#### **About Debtor 1:**

You must check one:

☐ I received a briefing from an approved credit counseling agency within the 180 days before I filed this bankruptcy petition, and I received a certificate of completion.

Attach a copy of the certificate and the payment plan, if any, that you developed with the agency.

I received a briefing from an approved credit counseling agency within the 180 days before I filed this bankruptcy petition, but I do not have a certificate of completion.

Within 14 days after you file this bankruptcy petition, you MUST file a copy of the certificate and payment plan, if any.

I certify that I asked for credit counseling services from an approved agency, but was unable to obtain those services during the 7 days after I made my request, and exigent circumstances merit a 30-day temporary waiver of the requirement.

To ask for a 30-day temporary waiver of the requirement, attach a separate sheet explaining what efforts you made to obtain the briefing, why you were unable to obtain it before you filed for bankruptcy, and what exigent circumstances required you to file this case.

Your case may be dismissed if the court is dissatisfied with your reasons for not receiving a briefing before you filed for bankruptcy. If the court is satisfied with your reasons, you must still receive a briefing within 30 days after you file. You must file a certificate from the approved agency, along with a copy of the payment plan you developed, if any. If you do not do so, your case may be dismissed.

Any extension of the 30-day deadline is granted only for cause and is limited to a maximum of 15 days.

☐ I am not required to receive a briefing about credit counseling because of:

#### ☐ Incapacity.

I have a mental illness or a mental deficiency that makes me incapable of realizing or making rational decisions about finances.

#### ☐ Disability.

My physical disability causes me to be unable to participate in a briefing in person, by phone, or through the internet, even after I reasonably tried to do so.

#### ☐ Active duty.

I am currently on active military duty in a military combat zone.

If you believe you are not required to receive a briefing about credit counseling, you must file a motion for waiver credit counseling with the court.

#### About Debtor 2 (Spouse Only in a Joint Case):

You must check one:

□ I received a briefing from an approved credit counseling agency within the 180 days before I filed this bankruptcy petition, and I received a certificate of completion.

Attach a copy of the certificate and the payment plan, if any, that you developed with the agency.

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#### ☐ Active duty.

I am currently on active military duty in a military combat zone.

If you believe you are not required to receive a briefing about credit counseling, you must file a motion for waiver of credit counseling with the court.

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Executed on

MM / DD / YYYY

Signature of Debtor 1

Executed on August 1, 2016

MM / DD / YYYY

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For your attorney, if you are represented by one

If you are not represented by an attorney, you do not need to file this page. I, the attorney for the debtor(s) named in this petition, declare that I have informed the debtor(s) about eligibility to proceed under Chapter 7, 11, 12, or 13 of title 11, United States Code, and have explained the relief available under each chapter for which the person is eligible. I also certify that I have delivered to the debtor(s) the notice required by 11 U.S.C. § 342(b) and, in a case in which § 707(b)(4)(D) applies, certify that I have no knowledge after an inquiry that the information in the schedules filed with the petition is incorrect.

/s/ Daniel F. D'Atto	omo	Date	August 1, 2016
Signature of Attorney	for Debtor		MM / DD / YYYY
Daniel F. D'Attomo	)		
Printed name			
The D'Attomo Law	/ Firm		
Firm name			
4257 North Milwau	ıkee Avenue		
Suite B			
Chicago, IL 60641			
Number, Street, City, State &	ZIP Code		
Contact phone <b>773-93</b>	2-2100	Email address	tami@golegalsupport.com
38461			
Bar number & State			

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Fill in this infor	mation to identify your	case:		
Debtor 1	Luis M. Contreras	S		
	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name	
Debtor 2				
Spouse if, filing)	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name	
Jnited States Ba	ankruptcy Court for the:	NORTHERN DISTRICT	OF ILLINOIS	
Case number				
if known)				☐ Check if this is an
				amended filing

### Official Form 106Sum

### Summary of Your Assets and Liabilities and Certain Statistical Information

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Be as complete and accurate as possible. If two married people are filing together, both are equally responsible for supplying correct information. Fill out all of your schedules first; then complete the information on this form. If you are filing amended schedules after you file your original forms, you must fill out a new *Summary* and check the box at the top of this page.

Par	1: Summarize Your Assets		
		Your a	ssets of what you own
1.	Schedule A/B: Property (Official Form 106A/B)  1a. Copy line 55, Total real estate, from Schedule A/B	\$	184,456.00
	1b. Copy line 62, Total personal property, from Schedule A/B	\$	21,250.00
	1c. Copy line 63, Total of all property on Schedule A/B	\$	205,706.00
Par	2: Summarize Your Liabilities		
			<b>abilities</b> t you owe
2.	Schedule D: Creditors Who Have Claims Secured by Property (Official Form 106D)  2a. Copy the total you listed in Column A, Amount of claim, at the bottom of the last page of Part 1 of Schedule D	\$	27,000.00
3.	Schedule E/F: Creditors Who Have Unsecured Claims (Official Form 106E/F) 3a. Copy the total claims from Part 1 (priority unsecured claims) from line 6e of Schedule E/F	\$	0.00
	3b. Copy the total claims from Part 2 (nonpriority unsecured claims) from line 6j of Schedule E/F	\$	20,457.00
	Your total liabilities	\$	47,457.00
Par	3: Summarize Your Income and Expenses		
4.	Schedule I: Your Income (Official Form 106I) Copy your combined monthly income from line 12 of Schedule I	\$	2,220.83
5.	Schedule J: Your Expenses (Official Form 106J) Copy your monthly expenses from line 22c of Schedule J	\$	1,604.78
Par	4: Answer These Questions for Administrative and Statistical Records		
6.	Are you filing for bankruptcy under Chapters 7, 11, or 13?  No. You have nothing to report on this part of the form. Check this box and submit this form to the court with you	ur other sch	nedules.
7.	Yes What kind of debt do you have?		
	Your debts are primarily consumer debts. Consumer debts are those "incurred by an individual primarily for	a personal,	, family, or

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Your debts are not primarily consumer debts. You have nothing to report on this part of the form. Check this box and submit this form to

household purpose." 11 U.S.C. § 101(8). Fill out lines 8-9g for statistical purposes. 28 U.S.C. § 159.

the court with your other schedules.

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8. **From the** *Statement of Your Current Monthly Income*: Copy your total current monthly income from Official Form 122A-1 Line 11; **OR**, Form 122B Line 11; **OR**, Form 122C-1 Line 14.

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9. Copy the following special categories of claims from Part 4, line 6 of Schedule E/F:

	Total claim	
From Part 4 on Schedule E/F, copy the following:		
9a. Domestic support obligations (Copy line 6a.)	\$	0.00
9b. Taxes and certain other debts you owe the government. (Copy line 6b.)	\$	0.00
9c. Claims for death or personal injury while you were intoxicated. (Copy line 6c.)	\$	0.00
9d. Student loans. (Copy line 6f.)	\$	0.00
9e. Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims. (Copy line 6g.)	\$	0.00
9f. Debts to pension or profit-sharing plans, and other similar debts. (Copy line 6h.)	+\$	0.00
9g. <b>Total.</b> Add lines 9a through 9f.	\$	0.00

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eachink	chedul ch category, s c it fits best. E	Be as complete and accore space is needed, atta	ribe items. List a	e. If two	married people	n asset fits in more than one are filing together, both are top of any additional pages	equally responsible	e for sup	olying correct
Part	1: Describe	Each Residence, Build	ing. Land. or Otl	her Real	Estate You Ow	n or Have an Interest In			
Do	o vou own or	have any legal or equita	ble interest in a	nv reside	ence. building.	land, or similar property?			
	No. Go to Pa	, , ,		,	<b>.</b>	and, or common property.			
	_	π 2. is the property?							
_	- res. Where	is the property:							
1.1	05 Allan 5	Saite		What	is the property	? Check all that apply			
	25 Allen I	Jrive , if available, or other descript	ion	tho					ns or exemptions. Put claims on Schedule D:
				Duplex or multi-unit building Condominium or cooperative		Creditors Who Have Claims Secured by Prop			
					Manufactural				
	Elgin	IL 6	0120-0000		Land	or mobile home	Current value of entire property?		Current value of the portion you own?
	City	State	ZIP Code		Investment pro	perty	\$184,456		\$184,456.00
				Who	Timeshare Other	in the property? Check one	Describe the nature of your ownership i (such as fee simple, tenancy by the enti a life estate), if known.		
					Debtor 1 only	and property: Oncok one	First Mortgag	e	
	Cook				Debtor 2 only				
	County				Debtor 1 and D	Debtor 2 only the debtors and another	Check if this		unity property
				Other		ou wish to add about this ite	•	5)	
								1	
		lar value of the portion				rom Part 1, including any	entries for		\$184,456.00

Do you own, lease, or have legal or equitable interest in any vehicles, whether they are registered or not? Include any vehicles you own that

pages you have attached for Part 1. Write that number here.....

someone else drives. If you lease a vehicle, also report it on Schedule G: Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases.

page 1 Official Form 106A/B Schedule A/B: Property

Part 2: Describe Your Vehicles

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Debtor 1 Luis M. Contreras 3. Cars, vans, trucks, tractors, sport utility vehicles, motorcycles ☐ No Yes Do not deduct secured claims or exemptions. Put Chevy 3.1 Make: Who has an interest in the property? Check one the amount of any secured claims on Schedule D: **Express** Model: Debtor 1 only Creditors Who Have Claims Secured by Property. Year: 2002 Debtor 2 only Current value of the Current value of the 150000 Approximate mileage: Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only entire property? portion you own? Other information: At least one of the debtors and another \$2,000.00 \$2,000.00 ☐ Check if this is community property (see instructions) Do not deduct secured claims or exemptions. Put **BMW** Who has an interest in the property? Check one 3.2 Make: the amount of any secured claims on Schedule D: E545 Creditors Who Have Claims Secured by Property. Debtor 1 only Model: 2004 Year: Debtor 2 only Current value of the Current value of the 100000 Approximate mileage: entire property? portion you own? Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only Other information: ☐ At least one of the debtors and another \$4,000.00 \$4,000.00 ☐ Check if this is community property (see instructions) Do not deduct secured claims or exemptions. Put Ford 3.3 Make: Who has an interest in the property? Check one the amount of any secured claims on Schedule D: **Excursion** Creditors Who Have Claims Secured by Property. Model: ■ Debtor 1 only 2000 Year: Debtor 2 only Current value of the Current value of the 145000 Approximate mileage: Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only entire property? portion you own? Other information: ☐ At least one of the debtors and another \$3,800.00 \$3,800.00 ☐ Check if this is community property (see instructions) Do not deduct secured claims or exemptions. Put Honda Who has an interest in the property? Check one 34 Make: the amount of any secured claims on Schedule D: Accord Creditors Who Have Claims Secured by Property. Model: Debtor 1 only 2008 Debtor 2 only Year: Current value of the Current value of the 50000 Approximate mileage: ☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only entire property? portion you own? Other information: ☐ At least one of the debtors and another \$6.000.00 \$6,000.00 ☐ Check if this is community property (see instructions) Do not deduct secured claims or exemptions. Put Honda 3.5 Make: Who has an interest in the property? Check one the amount of any secured claims on Schedule D: Civic Creditors Who Have Claims Secured by Property. Model: Debtor 1 only 2008 Year: Debtor 2 only Current value of the Current value of the Approximate mileage: 130000 entire property? portion you own? Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only Other information: ☐ At least one of the debtors and another \$3,500.00 \$3,500.00 ☐ Check if this is community property 4. Watercraft, aircraft, motor homes, ATVs and other recreational vehicles, other vehicles, and accessories Examples: Boats, trailers, motors, personal watercraft, fishing vessels, snowmobiles, motorcycle accessories ■ No

Official Form 106A/B

☐ Yes

Document Page 12 of 44 Luis M. Contreras Case number (if known) Debtor 1 5 Add the dollar value of the portion you own for all of your entries from Part 2, including any entries for \$19,300.00 pages you have attached for Part 2. Write that number here...... Part 3: Describe Your Personal and Household Items Do you own or have any legal or equitable interest in any of the following items? Current value of the portion you own? Do not deduct secured claims or exemptions. 6. Household goods and furnishings Examples: Major appliances, furniture, linens, china, kitchenware ■ No ☐ Yes. Describe..... 7. Electronics Examples: Televisions and radios; audio, video, stereo, and digital equipment; computers, printers, scanners; music collections; electronic devices including cell phones, cameras, media players, games ■ No ☐ Yes. Describe..... 8. Collectibles of value Examples: Antiques and figurines; paintings, prints, or other artwork; books, pictures, or other art objects; stamp, coin, or baseball card collections; other collections, memorabilia, collectibles ■ No ☐ Yes. Describe..... 9. Equipment for sports and hobbies Examples: Sports, photographic, exercise, and other hobby equipment; bicycles, pool tables, golf clubs, skis; canoes and kayaks; carpentry tools; musical instruments ■ No ☐ Yes. Describe..... 10. Firearms Examples: Pistols, rifles, shotguns, ammunition, and related equipment No ☐ Yes. Describe..... 11. Clothes Examples: Everyday clothes, furs, leather coats, designer wear, shoes, accessories No ☐ Yes. Describe..... 12. Jewelry Examples: Everyday jewelry, costume jewelry, engagement rings, wedding rings, heirloom jewelry, watches, gems, gold, silver Nο ☐ Yes. Describe..... 13. Non-farm animals Examples: Dogs, cats, birds, horses ☐ Yes. Describe..... 14. Any other personal and household items you did not already list, including any health aids you did not list ■ No ☐ Yes. Give specific information..... 15. Add the dollar value of all of your entries from Part 3, including any entries for pages you have attached

Part 4: Describe Your Financial Assets

Do you own or have any legal or equitable interest in any of the following?

for Part 3. Write that number here .....

Current value of the portion you own?
Do not deduct secured claims or exemptions.

\$0.00

Document Page 13 of 44 Debtor 1 Case number (if known) Luis M. Contreras 16. Cash Examples: Money you have in your wallet, in your home, in a safe deposit box, and on hand when you file your petition ☐ Yes..... 17. Deposits of money Examples: Checking, savings, or other financial accounts; certificates of deposit; shares in credit unions, brokerage houses, and other similar institutions. If you have multiple accounts with the same institution, list each. ☐ No Institution name: ■ Yes..... Chase \$150.00 17.1. Checking \$1,800.00 **Bank of America** 17.2. Savings 18. Bonds, mutual funds, or publicly traded stocks Examples: Bond funds, investment accounts with brokerage firms, money market accounts No Institution or issuer name: ☐ Yes..... 19. Non-publicly traded stock and interests in incorporated and unincorporated businesses, including an interest in an LLC, partnership, and joint venture No ☐ Yes. Give specific information about them..... Name of entity: % of ownership: 20. Government and corporate bonds and other negotiable and non-negotiable instruments Negotiable instruments include personal checks, cashiers' checks, promissory notes, and money orders. Non-negotiable instruments are those you cannot transfer to someone by signing or delivering them. ■ No ☐ Yes. Give specific information about them Issuer name: 21. Retirement or pension accounts Examples: Interests in IRA, ERISA, Keogh, 401(k), 403(b), thrift savings accounts, or other pension or profit-sharing plans ■ No ☐ Yes. List each account separately. Type of account: Institution name: 22. Security deposits and prepayments Your share of all unused deposits you have made so that you may continue service or use from a company Examples: Agreements with landlords, prepaid rent, public utilities (electric, gas, water), telecommunications companies, or others ■ No Institution name or individual: ☐ Yes. ..... 23. Annuities (A contract for a periodic payment of money to you, either for life or for a number of years) ■ No Issuer name and description. ☐ Yes..... 24. Interests in an education IRA, in an account in a qualified ABLE program, or under a qualified state tuition program. 26 U.S.C. §§ 530(b)(1), 529A(b), and 529(b)(1). ■ No Institution name and description. Separately file the records of any interests.11 U.S.C. § 521(c): ☐ Yes..... 25. Trusts, equitable or future interests in property (other than anything listed in line 1), and rights or powers exercisable for your benefit No

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☐ Yes. Give specific information about them...

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26.	Exam <sub>l</sub> ■ No	s, copyrights, trademarks, trade secrets oles: Internet domain names, websites, pro-			
	☐ Yes.	Give specific information about them			
27.	Exam <sub>i</sub> ■ No	es, franchises, and other general intang oles: Building permits, exclusive licenses, c Give specific information about them		n holdings, liquor licenses, professiona	l licenses
М	onev or	property owed to you?			Current value of the
	,	p. op.o y o o . y o			portion you own? Do not deduct secured claims or exemptions.
28.	Tax ref	funds owed to you			
		Give specific information about them, inclu	ding whether you alre	ady filed the returns and the tax years.	
29.	Examp ■ No	support  bles: Past due or lump sum alimony, spouse  Give specific information	al support, child suppo	ort, maintenance, divorce settlement, p	roperty settlement
30.	Examp	amounts someone owes you  bles: Unpaid wages, disability insurance pa benefits; unpaid loans you made to so  Give specific information		efits, sick pay, vacation pay, workers'	compensation, Social Security
31.	Exam	sts in insurance policies oles: Health, disability, or life insurance; hea	alth savings account (l	HSA); credit, homeowner's, or renter's	insurance
	■ No		112.424		
	⊔ Yes.	Name the insurance company of each police Company name:	cy and list its value.	Beneficiary:	Surrender or refund value:
32.	If you some o	terest in property that is due you from so are the beneficiary of a living trust, expect p one has died.  Give specific information			I to receive property because
33.	Exam <sub>i</sub> ■ No	against third parties, whether or not your ples: Accidents, employment disputes, insu			
34.	■ No	contingent and unliquidated claims of ex	very nature, including	g counterclaims of the debtor and ri	ghts to set off claims
35.	■ No	nancial assets you did not already list  Give specific information			
	□ res.	Give specific information			
36		the dollar value of all of your entries from art 4. Write that number here			

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Part 5: Describe Any Business-Related Property You Own or Have an Interest In. List any real estate in Part 1.

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Case number (if known) Document Debtor 1 Luis M. Contreras 37. Do you own or have any legal or equitable interest in any business-related property? No. Go to Part 6. ☐ Yes. Go to line 38. Describe Any Farm- and Commercial Fishing-Related Property You Own or Have an Interest In. If you own or have an interest in farmland, list it in Part 1. 46. Do you own or have any legal or equitable interest in any farm- or commercial fishing-related property? No. Go to Part 7. ☐ Yes. Go to line 47. Part 7: Describe All Property You Own or Have an Interest in That You Did Not List Above 53. Do you have other property of any kind you did not already list? Examples: Season tickets, country club membership ■ No ☐ Yes. Give specific information....... 54. Add the dollar value of all of your entries from Part 7. Write that number here ...... \$0.00 List the Totals of Each Part of this Form Part 8: 55. Part 1: Total real estate, line 2 ...... \$184,456.00 56. Part 2: Total vehicles, line 5 \$19,300.00 57. Part 3: Total personal and household items, line 15 \$0.00 Part 4: Total financial assets, line 36 \$1,950.00 Part 5: Total business-related property, line 45 \$0.00 Part 6: Total farm- and fishing-related property, line 52 \$0.00 61. Part 7: Total other property not listed, line 54 \$0.00 Total personal property. Add lines 56 through 61... Copy personal property total \$21,250.00 \$21,250.00

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63. Total of all property on Schedule A/B. Add line 55 + line 62

\$205,706.00

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FI	l in this inform	nation to identify your				
Dε	ebtor 1	Luis M. Contreras				
		First Name	Middle Name	L	ast Name	
	ebtor 2 pouse if, filing)	First Name	Middle Name		ast Name	
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S	chedule	e C: The Pro	operty You Cla	aim	as Exempt	4/16
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the	property you lis	sted on Schedule A/B: F	Property (Official Form 106A/B)	as yo	our source, list the property that you	
	eded, fill out and se number (if kn		many copies of <i>Part 2: Addition</i>	nal Pa	ege as necessary. On the top of any	additional pages, write your name and
For	each item of r	oroperty you claim as	exempt, you must specify th	e amo	ount of the exemption you claim.	One way of doing so is to state a
spe	ecific dollar am	nount as exempt. Alter	natively, you may claim the f	full fai	ir market value of the property be	eing exempted up to the amount of
					th aids, rights to receive certain I nption of 100% of fair market valu	penefits, and tax-exempt retirement up under a law that limits the
exe	emption to a pa	articular dollar amoun				t, your exemption would be limited
to t	the applicable	statutory amount.				
Pa	rt 1: Identify	y the Property You Cla	nim as Exempt			
1.	Which set of	exemptions are you c	laiming? Check one only, eve	n if yo	our spouse is filing with you.	
	You are cla	aiming state and federal	nonbankruptcy exemptions.	11 U.S	S.C. § 522(b)(3)	
	☐ You are cla	aiming federal exemption	ns. 11 U.S.C. § 522(b)(2)			
2.			3 ( ),( )	empt.	fill in the information below.	
	Brief description	on of the property and lin	-		ount of the exemption you claim	Specific laws that allow exemption
			Copy the value from Schedule A/B	Che	eck only one box for each exemption.	
	2002 Chevy	Express 150000 mi		_	\$2,000.00	735 ILCS 5/12-1001(c)
	Line from Sch	edule A/B: <b>3.1</b>		_		
					100% of fair market value, up to any applicable statutory limit	
		Excursion 145000 m	iles \$3,800.00		\$4,000.00	735 ILCS 5/12-1001(b)
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					any applicable statutory limit	
	Checking: C	Chase nedule A/B: <b>17.1</b>	\$150.00		\$200.00	735 ILCS 5/12-1001(b)
	Line nom Scri	edule A/D. IIII			100% of fair market value, up to any applicable statutory limit	
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3.			mption of more than \$160,37		led on or after the date of adjustme	ent )
	■ No	,	2.3.7 3 7 3 die ditei tildt 101 00		S. G.	,
		you acquire the propert	v covered by the exemption w	ithin 1	,215 days before you filed this case	27
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Fill in this information	n to identify you					
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United States Bankrup	otcy Court for the:	NORTHERN DISTRICT O	F ILLINOIS			
Case number					_	if this is an ded filing
Official Form 10	06D					
Schedule D:	Creditors	Who Have Clair	ns Secured	by Property	y	12/15
		If two married people are filing to out, number the entries, and atta				
. Do any creditors have	claims secured by	y your property?				
□ No. Check this	box and submit t	his form to the court with your	other schedules. Yo	ou have nothing else to	o report on this form.	
Yes. Fill in all o	of the information	below.				
Part 1: List All Sec	cured Claims					
for each claim. If more the	nan one creditor has	more than one secured claim, list to a particular claim, list the other croal order according to the creditor'	editors in Part 2. As	Column A  Amount of claim  Do not deduct the value of collateral.	Column B  Value of collateral that supports this claim	Column C Unsecured portion If any
2.1 Nationstar Mo	ortgage LLC	Describe the property that sec	ures the claim:	\$27,000.00	\$184,456.00	\$0.00
Creditor's Name		Real Estate Mortgage				
8950 Cypress Blvd Coppell, TX 7		As of the date you file, the claimapply.	im is: Check all that			
Number, Street, City,		☐ Contingent☐ Unliquidated				
Who owes the debt?	Check one.	☐ Disputed  Nature of lien. Check all that a	pply.			
■ Debtor 1 only ■ Debtor 2 only		An agreement you made (su car loan)	ch as mortgage or sec	ured		
Debtor 1 and Debtor	•	☐ Statutory lien (such as tax lie				
☐ At least one of the de☐ Check if this claim r community debt		☐ Judgment lien from a lawsuit☐ Other (including a right to off				
	Opened 10/01/04					
Date debt was incurred	Last Active 11/23/14	Last 4 digits of accoun	number 0188			

Add the dollar value of your entries in Column A on this page. Write that number here: \$27,000.00

If this is the last page of your form, add the dollar value totals from all pages.

Write that number here: \$27,000.00

### Part 2: List Others to Be Notified for a Debt That You Already Listed

Use this page only if you have others to be notified about your bankruptcy for a debt that you already listed in Part 1. For example, if a collection agency is trying to collect from you for a debt you owe to someone else, list the creditor in Part 1, and then list the collection agency here. Similarly, if you have more than one creditor for any of the debts that you listed in Part 1, list the additional creditors here. If you do not have additional persons to be notified for any debts in Part 1, do not fill out or submit this page.

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Fill in th	is information to identify your	case:			
Debtor 1	Luis M. Contreras	•			
	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name		
Debtor 2					
(Spouse if, t	filing) First Name	Middle Name	Last Name		
United S	tates Bankruptcy Court for the:	NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILL	INOIS		
Case nui	mber				
(if known)					Check if this is an
					amended filing
Officia	I Form 106E/F				
		ho Have Unsecured	Claims		12/15
				Part 2 for creditors with NONPRIORITY of	
schedule left. Attach ame and	D: Creditors Who Have Claims Sec n the Continuation Page to this pag case number (if known).	ured by Property. If more space is n le. If you have no information to rep	needed, copy	any creditors with partially secured clai the Part you need, fill it out, number the do not file that Part. On the top of any ac	entries in the boxes on the
Part 1:	List All of Your PRIORITY Un				
	ny creditors have priority unsecure	d claims against you?			
	o. Go to Part 2.				
☐ Ye	_	V Unacquired Claims			
Part 2:					
	ny creditors have nonpriority unsec				
⊔ No	b. You have nothing to report in this p	art. Submit this form to the court with y	your other sche	edules.	
■ Ye	es.				
unsec	cured claim, list the creditor separately one creditor holds a particular claim, li	y for each claim. For each claim listed,	, identify what t	b holds each claim. If a creditor has more ype of claim it is. Do not list claims already three nonpriority unsecured claims fill out	included in Part 1. If more
					Total claim
4.1 <b>F</b>	Pnc Bank	Last 4 digits of acco	ount number	8802	\$6,075.00
	Nonpriority Creditor's Name			One and 40/04/00 Least Active	
2	249 5th Sve Ste 30	When was the debt	incurred?	Opened 10/01/06 Last Active 10/28/14	
_	Pittsburgh, PA 15222				
	Number Street City State ZIp Code  Who incurred the debt? Check one.	As of the date you f	ile, the claim i	s: Check all that apply	
ı	Debtor 1 only	☐ Contingent			
[	Debtor 2 only	☐ Unliquidated			
[	Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed			
[	$\square$ At least one of the debtors and and		ITY unsecured	d claim:	
	☐ Check if this claim is for a comm	<u> </u>			
	lebt s the claim subject to offset?	Obligations arising report as priority clair		ration agreement or divorce that you did no	ot
_	No			g plans, and other similar debts	
	■ No □ Yes	•	- promonani	g [	
L	<b>⊒</b> 162	Other. Specify			

Debtor 1 Luis M. Contreras

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Case number (if know)

Prnto Prstms	Last 4 digits of account number	2011	\$14,382
Nonpriority Creditor's Name			
1750 Todd Farm Dri Elgin, IL 60123	When was the debt incurred?	Opened 4/19/14 Last Active 6/18/16	
Number Street City State Zlp Code	As of the date you file, the claim	is: Check all that apply	
Who incurred the debt? Check one.			
■ Debtor 1 only	☐ Contingent		
☐ Debtor 2 only	☐ Unliquidated		
☐ Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 only	☐ Disputed		
☐ At least one of the debtors and another	Type of NONPRIORITY unsecure	d claim:	
☐ Check if this claim is for a community	☐ Student loans		
debt Is the claim subject to offset?	Obligations arising out of a separeport as priority claims	aration agreement or divorce that you did not	
No	Debts to pension or profit-sharir	g plans, and other similar debts	
□Yes	Other. Specify Automobile	•	

#### Part 3: List Others to Be Notified About a Debt That You Already Listed

#### Part 4: Add the Amounts for Each Type of Unsecured Claim

6. Total the amounts of certain types of unsecured claims. This information is for statistical reporting purposes only. 28 U.S.C. §159. Add the amounts for each type of unsecured claim.

				Total Claim
	6a.	Domestic support obligations	6a.	\$ 0.00
Total claims				 
from Part 1	6b.	Taxes and certain other debts you owe the government	6b.	\$ 0.00
	6c.	Claims for death or personal injury while you were intoxicated	6c.	\$ 0.00
	6d.	Other. Add all other priority unsecured claims. Write that amount here.	6d.	\$ 0.00
	6e.	Total Priority. Add lines 6a through 6d.	6e.	\$ 0.00
				Total Claim
	6f.	Student loans	6f.	\$ 0.00
Total claims				
from Part 2	6g.	Obligations arising out of a separation agreement or divorce that you did not report as priority claims	6g.	\$ 0.00
	6h.		6h.	\$ 0.00
	6i.	<b>Other.</b> Add all other nonpriority unsecured claims. Write that amount here.	6i.	\$ 20,457.00
	6j.	Total Nonpriority. Add lines 6f through 6i.	6j.	\$ 20,457.00

<sup>5.</sup> Use this page only if you have others to be notified about your bankruptcy, for a debt that you already listed in Parts 1 or 2. For example, if a collection agency is trying to collect from you for a debt you owe to someone else, list the original creditor in Parts 1 or 2, then list the collection agency here. Similarly, if you have more than one creditor for any of the debts that you listed in Parts 1 or 2, list the additional creditors here. If you do not have additional persons to be notified for any debts in Parts 1 or 2, do not fill out or submit this page.

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Fill in this infor	mation to identify your	case:	
Debtor 1	Luis M. Contrera	5	
	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name
Debtor 2			
(Spouse if, filing)	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name
United States Ba	ankruptcy Court for the:	NORTHERN DISTRICT	OF ILLINOIS
Case number			
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### Official Form 106G

### **Schedule G: Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases**

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Be as complete and accurate as possible. If two married people are filing together, both are equally responsible for supplying correct information. If more space is needed, copy the additional page, fill it out, number the entries, and attach it to this page. On the top of any additional pages, write your name and case number (if known).

- 1. Do you have any executory contracts or unexpired leases?
  - No. Check this box and file this form with the court with your other schedules. You have nothing else to report on this form.
  - Tyes. Fill in all of the information below even if the contacts of leases are listed on Schedule A/B:Property (Official Form 106 A/B).
- List separately each person or company with whom you have the contract or lease. Then state what each contract or lease is for (for example, rent, vehicle lease, cell phone). See the instructions for this form in the instruction booklet for more examples of executory contracts and unexpired leases.

	Person or	company with	h whom you have the c er, Street, City, State and ZIP Co	ontract or lease	State what the contract or lease is for
2.1					
	Name				_
	Number	Street			_
	City		State	ZIP Code	<del>_</del>
2.2					
	Name				_
	Number	Street			_
	City		State	ZIP Code	_
2.3	•				
	Name				_
	Number	Street			_
	City		State	ZIP Code	
2.4					
	Name				_
	Number	Street			_
	City		State	ZIP Code	
2.5			·	·	
	Name				_
	Number	Street			
	City		State	ZIP Code	

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Debtor 1	Luis M. Contreras	•			
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Debtor 2					
(Spouse if, filir	ng) First Name	Middle Name	Last Name		
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	Go to line 3.	use or legal equivelent live	with you at the time?		
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	Column 1: Your codebtor Name, Number, Street, City, State and Zll	P Code		Column 2: The creditor to whom you Check all schedules that apply:	owe the debt
3.1				☐ Schedule D, line	
	Name			☐ Schedule E/F, line	
				☐ Schedule G, line	
=	Number Street			_	
	Number Street City	State	ZIP Code		
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sup spo atta	as complete and accurate as possiblying correct information. If you use. If you are separated and you ch a separate sheet to this form.  **T1:*****  Describe Employment	are married and not filing wi	ng jointly, and your spo th you, do not include i	ouse is inform	living hation a	with you, incl bout your spo	ude information abou ouse. If more space is	it your s needed,
1.	Fill in your employment information.		Debtor 1			Debtor 2	or non-filing spouse	<b>;</b>
	If you have more than one job, attach a separate page with	Employment status	■ Employed			☐ Empl		
	information about additional employers.	, .,	☐ Not employed			☐ Not e	mployed	
	Include part-time, seasonal, or	Occupation	Carpenter					
	self-employed work.	Employer's name	M. Contreras Cons	struct	ion			
	Occupation may include student or homemaker, if it applies.	Employer's address	25 Allen Drive Elgin, IL 60120					
		How long employed to	here? 2001					
Par	Give Details About Mor	nthly Income						
	mate monthly income as of the dause unless you are separated.	ate you file this form. If	you have nothing to repo	ort for a	ıny line,	write \$0 in the	space. Include your no	on-filing
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2.	List monthly gross wages, sala deductions). If not paid monthly,			2.	\$	2,220.83	\$ <b>N/A</b>	<b>\</b> —
3.	Estimate and list monthly overt	ime pay.		3.	+\$	0.00	+\$ <b>N/A</b>	<u>*</u>

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Calculate gross Income. Add line 2 + line 3.

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J.	5a.	Tax, Medicare, and Social Security deductions	5a.	\$	0.	00	\$		N/A	
	5b.	Mandatory contributions for retirement plans	5b.	<b>\$</b> —		00	\$ 		N/A	
	5c.	Voluntary contributions for retirement plans	5c.	\$ 		00	\$ 		N/A	
	5d.	Required repayments of retirement fund loans	5d.	<b>\$</b> —		00	\$—		N/A	
	5e.	Insurance	5e.	<b>\$</b> —		00	\$ 		N/A	
	5f.	Domestic support obligations	5f.	\$		00	\$		N/A	
	5g.	Union dues	5g.	\$-		00	ф—		N/A	
	5h.	Other deductions. Specify:	5h.+	· · —			+ \$		N/A	
6.		I the payroll deductions. Add lines 5a+5b+5c+5d+5e+5f+5g+5h.	_ 6.	\$ \$			.       — \$		N/A	
				· · —		00	· —			
7.	Cai	culate total monthly take-home pay. Subtract line 6 from line 4.	7.	\$	2,220.	83	\$		N/A	
8.	List 8a.	all other income regularly received:  Net income from rental property and from operating a business, profession, or farm  Attach a statement for each property and business showing gross receipts, ordinary and necessary business expenses, and the total								
		monthly net income.	8a.	\$	0.0	00	\$		N/A	
	8b.	Interest and dividends	8b.	\$	0.	00	\$		N/A	
	8c.	Family support payments that you, a non-filing spouse, or a dependent regularly receive Include alimony, spousal support, child support, maintenance, divorce settlement, and property settlement.	8c.	\$	0.0	00	\$		N/A	
	8d.	Unemployment compensation	8d.	\$		00	\$		N/A	
	8e.	Social Security	8e.	\$	0.0	00	\$		N/A	
	8f.	Other government assistance that you regularly receive Include cash assistance and the value (if known) of any non-cash assistance that you receive, such as food stamps (benefits under the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program) or housing subsidies.  Specify:	8f.	\$		00	\$		N/A	
	8g.	Pension or retirement income	8g.	\$		00	\$		N/A	
	8h.	Other monthly income. Specify:	8h.+	- \$	0.0	00	+ \$		N/A	
9.	Add	l all other income. Add lines 8a+8b+8c+8d+8e+8f+8g+8h.	9.	\$	0.0	00	\$		N/A	
10.	Cal	culate monthly income. Add line 7 + line 9.	10. \$	-	2,220.83	\$		N/A =	\$	2.220.83
		the entries in line 10 for Debtor 1 and Debtor 2 or non-filing spouse.			.,220.00	-		1474	* —	<b>L</b> , <b>L</b> L0.00
11.	Inclu othe Do i	te all other regular contributions to the expenses that you list in Schedule code contributions from an unmarried partner, members of your household, your er friends or relatives. not include any amounts already included in lines 2-10 or amounts that are not a cify:	depen		•			chedule J. 11. +		0.00
12.		I the amount in the last column of line 10 to the amount in line 11. The res e that amount on the Summary of Schedules and Statistical Summary of Certailies						12. \$	i	2,220.83
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13.	Do y	you expect an increase or decrease within the year after you file this form' No. Yes. Explain:	?					m	onthly	income

Schedule I: Your Income

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Official Form 106I

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Fill	in this informa	tion to identify yo	ur case:			1		
	otor 1	Luis M. Cont				Ch	eck if this is:	
	AOI 1	Luis W. Cont	ieias				An amended filin	ng
	otor 2 ouse, if filing)							owing postpetition chapter of the following date:
``								
Unit	ed States Bankr	uptcy Court for the:	NORTH	IERN DISTRICT OF ILLIN	NOIS		MM / DD / YYYY	,
1	e number							
(If Ki	nown)							
Of	fficial Fo	rm 106J				•		
S	chedule	J: Your I	Exper	ises				12/1
Be	as complete a	and accurate as	possible. eded, atta	If two married people a ch another sheet to this				
Par 1.	t 1: Descr Is this a join	ibe Your House	hold					
١.	No. Go to							
		s Debtor 2 live i	n a separ	ate household?				
	□ N	0	•					
	□ Ye	es. Debtor 2 mus	t file Offici	al Form 106J-2, <i>Expense</i>	s for Separate House	ehold of De	ebtor 2.	
2.	Do you have	e dependents?	□ No					
	Do not list De Debtor 2.	ebtor 1 and	■ Yes.	Fill out this information for each dependent	Dependent's relation Debtor 1 or Debtor		Dependent's age	Does dependent live with you?
	Do not state	the						□ No
	dependents	names.			Daughter		10	Yes
					Son		21	□ No ■ Yes
								_ □ No
					Son		22	■ Yes
					NACC .		40	□ No
3.	Do your eyr	enses include	_		Wife		48	■ Yes
J.	expenses of	f people other the d your depender	nan $_{\square}$	No Yes				
exp	imate your ex		ur bankrı	uptcy filing date unless				hapter 13 case to report of the form and fill in the
the		n assistance and		government assistance sluded it on Schedule I:			Your ex	kpenses
(		,				_		
4.		or home owners! and any rent for the		ses for your residence. r lot.	Include first mortgage	e 4.	\$	1,103.64
	If not includ	led in line 4:						
	4a. Real e	estate taxes				4a.	\$	0.00
		rty, homeowner's	, or renter	's insurance		4b.	\$	0.00
		-		ipkeep expenses		4c.	·	0.00
5.		owner's associati nortgage payme		dominium dues o <b>ur residence,</b> such as ho	ome equity loans	4d. 5.		0.00 276.14
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Deb	tor 1	Luis M. (	Contreras	Case nu	ıml	ber (if known)	
6.	Utiliti	ies:					
	6a.		, heat, natural gas	66	a.	\$	0.00
	6b.	-	wer, garbage collection	61	b.	\$	0.00
	6c.		e, cell phone, Internet, satellite, and cable services	60	c.	\$	45.00
	6d.	Other. Spe	ecify:	60	d.	\$	0.00
7.	Food		ekeeping supplies		7.	\$	0.00
8.			children's education costs	8	8.	\$	0.00
9.			ry, and dry cleaning	9	9.	\$	10.00
		-	products and services		0.	·	10.00
		_	ntal expenses		1.	·	0.00
			Include gas, maintenance, bus or train fare.			,	
			ar payments.	12	2.	\$	160.00
13.	Enter	rtainment,	clubs, recreation, newspapers, magazines, and	books 13	3.	\$	0.00
14.	Chari	itable cont	ributions and religious donations	14	4.	\$	0.00
15.	Insur	rance.					
			nsurance deducted from your pay or included in line				
		Life insura		15a		*	0.00
	15b.	Health ins	urance	158	b.	\$	0.00
	15c.	Vehicle in:	surance	150	C.	\$	0.00
	15d.	Other insu	ırance. Specify:	150	d.	\$	0.00
16.			clude taxes deducted from your pay or included in				
	Speci	•		16	6.	\$	0.00
17.			ease payments:			•	
			ents for Vehicle 1	178		·	0.00
			ents for Vehicle 2	171		·	0.00
		Other. Spe				·	0.00
		Other. Spe	·	170	d.	\$	0.00
18.			of alimony, maintenance, and support that you		n	<b>c</b>	0.00
40			your pay on line 5, Schedule I, Your Income (Of	1101ai i 01111 1001 <i>j</i> .	8.	\$	
19.			s you make to support others who do not live w	•	^	Ф	0.00
20	Speci	·	orty oversees not included in lines 4 or 5 of this	19		Incomo	
20.			erty expenses not included in lines 4 or 5 of this s on other property	20a 20a Scriedule II			0.00
		Real estat		201		·	0.00
				200		·	
			homeowner's, or renter's insurance	200			0.00
			nce, repair, and upkeep expenses			·	0.00
0.4			er's association or condominium dues	200		·	0.00
21.	Othe	r: Specify:		2′	1.	+\$	0.00
22.	Calcu	ulate vour	monthly expenses				
			through 21.			\$	1,604.78
			2 (monthly expenses for Debtor 2), if any, from Offi	cial Form 106J-2		\$	
			a and 22b. The result is your monthly expenses.			\$	1,604.78
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23.		-	monthly net income.		·		
	23a.	Copy line	12 (your combined monthly income) from Schedule				2,220.83
	23b.	Copy your	monthly expenses from line 22c above.	238	b.	-\$	1,604.78
					١		
	23c.		our monthly expenses from your monthly income.	99		<b>c</b>	616.05
		The result	is your monthly net income.	230	C.	\$	010.03
24	Dev	011 0V=004 :	on increase or degraded in view expenses with:	n the year often year file th	.:-	form?	
∠4.			an increase or decrease in your expenses withing expect to finish paying for your car loan within the year				rease or decrease because of a
			terms of your mortgage?	or as you expect your mortgag	ا V	raymont to mo	oddo or deoredde beladde or a
	■ No						
	Пуе		Explain here:				

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Fill in this infor	mation to identify your	case:			
Debtor 1	Luis M. Contreras				
	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name		
Debtor 2					
(Spouse if, filing)	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name		
United States Ba	ankruptcy Court for the:	NORTHERN DISTRICT	OF ILLINOIS		
Case number					
(if known)					Check if this is an amended filing
Official For					
Declarat	tion About a	an Individual	Debtor's So	hedules	12/15
Sig	n Below				
Did you pa	ay or agree to pay some	one who is NOT an attor	ney to help you fill out b	pankruptcy forms?	
■ No					
☐ Yes.	Name of person				Petition Preparer's Notice, gnature (Official Form 119)
•	alty of perjury, I declare re true and correct.	that I have read the sum	mary and schedules file	ed with this declaration and	
X /s/ Lui	s M. Contreras		X		
	1. Contreras are of Debtor 1		Signature of	Debtor 2	
Date	August 1, 2016		Date		

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Debtor 1  Luis M. Contreras First Name Middle Name Last Name  Debtor 2 (Spouse if, filing) First Name Middle Name Last Name  United States Bankruptcy Court for the:  NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS  Case number (If known)	
Debtor 2 (Spouse if, filing) First Name Middle Name Last Name United States Bankruptcy Court for the: NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS  Case number	
(Spouse if, filing) First Name Middle Name Last Name  United States Bankruptcy Court for the: NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS  Case number	
Case number	
(II NIOWII)	☐ Check if this is an amended filing
Official Form 107 Statement of Financial Affairs for Individuals Filing for Ban Be as complete and accurate as possible. If two married people are filing together, both are equal	<u> </u>
information. If more space is needed, attach a separate sheet to this form. On the top of any add number (if known). Answer every question.	
Part 1: Give Details About Your Marital Status and Where You Lived Before	
1. What is your current marital status?	
■ Married □ Not married	
2. During the last 3 years, have you lived anywhere other than where you live now?  No	
Yes. List all of the places you lived in the last 3 years. Do not include where you live now.	
Debtor 1 Prior Address:  Dates Debtor 1 Debtor 2 Prior Address lived there	s: Dates Debtor 2 lived there
3. Within the last 8 years, did you ever live with a spouse or legal equivalent in a community p states and territories include Arizona, California, Idaho, Louisiana, Nevada, New Mexico, Puerto Rico, T	
<ul><li>■ No</li><li>□ Yes. Make sure you fill out <i>Schedule H: Your Codebtors</i> (Official Form 106H).</li></ul>	
Part 2 Explain the Sources of Your Income	
4. Did you have any income from employment or from operating a business during this year of Fill in the total amount of income you received from all jobs and all businesses, including part-time If you are filing a joint case and you have income that you receive together, list it only once under I No No	activities.
☐ Yes. Fill in the details.	
Debtor 1 De	ebtor 2
	ources of income Gross income

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5.	Include in and other	come regard public bene	dless of whether that fit payments; pensi	at income is taxable. Exa ons; rental income; inter	previous calendar years amples of other income are rest; dividends; money colle you received together, list it	alimony; child suppected from lawsuits;	royalties; and gam	
	List each	source and	the gross income fr	om each source separa	tely. Do not include income	that you listed in lin	ne 4.	
	■ No □ Yes.	Fill in the de	etails.					
			Deb	tor 1		Debtor 2		
			Sou	rces of income cribe below.	Gross income from each source (before deductions and exclusions)	Sources of inc Describe below	ı. (be	oss income fore deductions d exclusions)
Pa	rt 3: Lis	t Certain Pa	nyments You Made	e Before You Filed for	Bankruptcy			
6.	□ No.	Neither Deindividual During the No. Yes  * Subject	ebtor 1 nor Debtor primarily for a person 90 days before you Go to line 7. List below each of paid that creditor not include payment on 4.  or Debtor 2 or both 90 days before you Go to line 7. List below each of	onal, family, or househo u filed for bankruptcy, di creditor to whom you pai . Do not include paymer ents to an attorney for th /01/19 and every 3 year h have primarily consu u filed for bankruptcy, di creditor to whom you pai s for domestic support o	Imer debts. Consumer debtle purpose."  d you pay any creditor a totle d a total of \$6,425* or more this for domestic support oblinis bankruptcy case. s after that for cases filed on	al of \$6,425* or more particular in one or more particular in or after the date of all of \$600 or more and the total amount	ore?  yments and the totalid support and aling adjustment.  you paid that cred	al amount you mony. Also, do
	Creditor	's Name an	d Address	Dates of payme	ent Total amount paid	Amount you still owe	Was this paymo	ent for
<ul> <li>Within 1 year before you filed for bankruptcy, did Insiders include your relatives; any general partners; of which you are an officer, director, person in contro a business you operate as a sole proprietor. 11 U.S.C alimony.</li> <li>No</li> <li>Yes. List all payments to an insider.</li> </ul>				ral partners; relatives of on in control, or owner of tor. 11 U.S.C. § 101. Inc	any general partners; partn of 20% or more of their votin	erships of which you	ou are a general pa ny managing agen	t, including one fo
	Insider's	Name and	Address	Dates of payme	ent Total amount paid	Amount you still owe	Reason for this	payment
8.	insider? Include pa			cruptcy, did you make a	any payments or transfer		ccount of a debt t	that benefited an
	■ No □ Yes.	List all payr	nents to an insider					
	Insider's	Name and	Address	Dates of payme	nt Total amount paid	Amount you still owe	Reason for this Include creditor's	

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Par	t 4: Identify Legal Actions, Repossess	ions, and Foreclosures			
9.	Within 1 year before you filed for bankru List all such matters, including personal injumodifications, and contract disputes.				
	■ No □ Yes. Fill in the details.				
	Case title Case number	Nature of the case	Court or agency	Status of th	e case
10.	Within 1 year before you filed for bankru Check all that apply and fill in the details be		erty repossessed, foreclose	ed, garnished, attached	l, seized, or levied?
	<ul><li>■ No. Go to line 11.</li><li>□ Yes. Fill in the information below.</li></ul>				
	Creditor Name and Address	Describe the Property		Date	Value of the property
11.	Explain what happened  1. Within 90 days before you filed for bankruptcy, did any creditor, including a bank or financial institution, set off any amounts from your accounts or refuse to make a payment because you owed a debt?  No Yes. Fill in the details.				
	Creditor Name and Address	Describe the action the	creditor took	Date action was taken	Amount
	Within 1 year before you filed for bankru court-appointed receiver, a custodian, o  ■ No □ Yes  15:■ List Certain Gifts and Contribution	r another official?	erty in the possession of a	n assignee for the bene	fit of creditors, a
	Within 2 years before you filed for bankr ■ No □ Yes. Fill in the details for each gift.		s with a total value of more	than \$600 per person?	,
	Gifts with a total value of more than \$60 per person  Person to Whom You Gave the Gift and			Dates you gave the gifts	Value
Address:  14. Within 2 years before you filed for bankruptcy, did you give any gifts or contributions with a total value of more than \$600  No Yes. Fill in the details for each gift or contribution.					\$600 to any charity?
	Gifts or contributions to charities that is more than \$600 Charity's Name Address (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Cod	total Describe what you	contributed	Dates you contributed	Value
Par	t 6: List Certain Losses				
15.	Within 1 year before you filed for bankru or gambling?	ptcy or since you filed for b	ankruptcy, did you lose an	ything because of thef	t, fire, other disaster,
	■ No □ Yes. Fill in the details.				
	Describe the property you lost and how the loss occurred	Describe any insurance co Include the amount that insu	rance has paid. List pending	Date of your loss	Value of property lost

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Par	List Certain Payments or Transfers						
16.	Within 1 year before you filed for bankruptc consulted about seeking bankruptcy or princlude any attorneys, bankruptcy petition pre	eparin	g a bankruptcy pet	ition?			rty to anyone you
	Yes. Fill in the details.  Person Who Was Paid Address Email or website address Person Who Made the Payment, if Not Yo	u	Description and v transferred	alue of any propei	rty	Date payment or transfer was made	Amount o paymen
<ul> <li>17. Within 1 year before you filed for bankruptcy, did you or anyone else acting on your behalf pay or transfer any proper promised to help you deal with your creditors or to make payments to your creditors?</li> <li>Do not include any payment or transfer that you listed on line 16.</li> <li>No</li> <li>Yes. Fill in the details.</li> </ul>					rty to anyone who		
					Date payment or transfer was made	Amount o paymen	
<ul> <li>18. Within 2 years before you filed for bankruptcy, ditransferred in the ordinary course of your busine. Include both outright transfers and transfers made as include gifts and transfers that you have already liste.</li> <li>No</li> <li>Yes. Fill in the details.</li> </ul>			ess or financial affa is security (such as t	irs? ne granting of a sec			
	Person Who Received Transfer Address Person's relationship to you		Description and v property transferr			ny property or received or debts hange	Date transfer was made
<ul> <li>19. Within 10 years before you filed for bankruptcy, did you transfer any property to a self-settled trust or similar device of which y beneficiary? (These are often called asset-protection devices.)</li> <li>No</li> <li>Yes. Fill in the details.</li> </ul>					of which you are a		
	Name of trust		Description and value of the property transferred Date Tra				
Par	t 8: List of Certain Financial Accounts, I	nstrun	nents, Safe Deposit	Boxes, and Stora	ge Units		
20.	Within 1 year before you filed for bankrupt sold, moved, or transferred? Include checking, savings, money market, houses, pension funds, cooperatives, assolution No  Yes. Fill in the details.	or oth	ner financial accour	its; certificates of		•	,
	Name of Financial Institution and Address (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)		t 4 digits of ount number	Type of account instrument	clos	e account was sed, sold, ved, or asferred	Last balance before closing o transfe
21.	Do you now have, or did you have within 1 cash, or other valuables?	year	before you filed for	bankruptcy, any s	safe deposit	box or other depos	itory for securities,

No

Yes. Fill in the details.

Name of Financial Institution

Address (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)

Who else had access to it?

Address (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)

Describe the contents

Do you still have it?

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22.	Hav	e you stored property in a storage unit or p	lace other than your home within 1	l yea	ar before you filed for bankruptcy?	
	_	No Yes. Fill in the details.				
		me of Storage Facility dress (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)	Who else has or had access to it? Address (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)	De	escribe the contents	Do you still have it?
Par	t 9:	Identify Property You Hold or Control for	Someone Else			
23.	•	you hold or control any property that someone.	one else owns? Include any proper	rty y	ou borrowed from, are storing for,	or hold in trust
		No Yes. Fill in the details.				
	_	rner's Name dress (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)	Where is the property? (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)	De	escribe the property	Value
Par	t 10:	Give Details About Environmental Inform	ation			
or	the p	ourpose of Part 10, the following definitions	apply:			
	toxi	rironmental law means any federal, state, or c substances, wastes, or material into the a ulations controlling the cleanup of these su	nir, land, soil, surface water, ground	_		
		means any location, facility, or property as wn, operate, or utilize it, including disposal	•	law	, whether you now own, operate, o	r utilize it or used
		ardous material means anything an environ ardous material, pollutant, contaminant, or		s wa	aste, hazardous substance, toxic si	ubstance,
₹ер	ort a	Il notices, releases, and proceedings that ye	ou know about, regardless of wher	n th	ey occurred.	
24.	Has	any governmental unit notified you that yo	u may be liable or potentially liable	un	der or in violation of an environme	ntal law?
		No				
		Yes. Fill in the details.				
		me of site dress (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)	Governmental unit Address (Number, Street, City, State an ZIP Code)	d	Environmental law, if you know it	Date of notice
25.	Hav	e you notified any governmental unit of any	release of hazardous material?			
		No				
		Yes. Fill in the details.				
		me of site dress (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)	Governmental unit Address (Number, Street, City, State an ZIP Code)	d	Environmental law, if you know it	Date of notice
26.	Hav	e you been a party in any judicial or admini	strative proceeding under any envi	iron	mental law? Include settlements a	nd orders.
		No Yes. Fill in the details.				
		se Title se Number	Court or agency Name Address (Number, Street, City, State and ZIP Code)	Na	ature of the case	Status of the case
Par	t 11:	Give Details About Your Business or Con	nnections to Any Business			
27.	With	nin 4 years before you filed for bankruptcy,	did you own a business or have ar	ny o	f the following connections to any	business?
		☐ A sole proprietor or self-employed in a	trade, profession, or other activity,	, eitl	her full-time or part-time	
		☐ A member of a limited liability company	(LLC) or limited liability partnersh	ip (	LLP)	
- 		407	of Financial Affaira for Individuals Filing	6	. Dawlesses	

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Part 12: Sign Below

I have read the answers on this Statement of Financial Affairs and any attachments, and I declare under penalty of perjury that the answers are true and correct. I understand that making a false statement, concealing property, or obtaining money or property by fraud in connection with a bankruptcy case can result in fines up to \$250,000, or imprisonment for up to 20 years, or both. 18 U.S.C. §§ 152, 1341, 1519, and 3571.

Luis M. Contreras Signature of Debtor 1	Signature of Debtor 2
Date August 1, 2016	Date

Did you attach additional pages to Your Statement of Financial Affairs for Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy (Official Form 107)?

■ No

☐ Yes

Did you pay or agree to pay someone who is not an attorney to help you fill out bankruptcy forms?

☐ Yes. Name of Person . Attach the Bankruptcy Petition Preparer's Notice, Declaration, and Signature (Official Form 119).

# Notice Required by 11 U.S.C. § 342(b) for Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy (Form 2010)

#### This notice is for you if:

You are an individual filing for bankruptcy, and

Your debts are primarily consumer debts. Consumer debts are defined in 11 U.S.C. § 101(8) as "incurred by an individual primarily for a personal, family, or household purpose."

### The types of bankruptcy that are available to individuals

Individuals who meet the qualifications may file under one of four different chapters of Bankruptcy Code:

Chapter 7 - Liquidation

Chapter 11 - Reorganization

Chapter 12 - Voluntary repayment plan for family farmers or fishermen

Chapter 13 - Voluntary repayment plan for individuals with regular income

You should have an attorney review your decision to file for bankruptcy and the choice of chapter.

Chapter 7:	Liquidation
\$245	filing fee
\$75	administrative fee
+ \$15	trustee surcharge
\$335	total fee

Chapter 7 is for individuals who have financial difficulty preventing them from paying their debts and who are willing to allow their nonexempt property to be used to pay their creditors. The primary purpose of filing under chapter 7 is to have your debts discharged. The bankruptcy discharge relieves you after bankruptcy from having to pay many of your pre-bankruptcy debts. Exceptions exist for particular debts, and liens on property may still be enforced after discharge. For example, a creditor may have the right to foreclose a home mortgage or repossess an automobile.

However, if the court finds that you have committed certain kinds of improper conduct described in the Bankruptcy Code, the court may deny your discharge.

You should know that even if you file chapter 7 and you receive a discharge, some debts are not discharged under the law. Therefore, you may still be responsible to pay:

most taxes;

most student loans;

domestic support and property settlement obligations;

most fines, penalties, forfeitures, and criminal restitution obligations; and

certain debts that are not listed in your bankruptcy papers.

You may also be required to pay debts arising from:

fraud or theft;

fraud or defalcation while acting in breach of fiduciary capacity;

intentional injuries that you inflicted; and

death or personal injury caused by operating a motor vehicle, vessel, or aircraft while intoxicated from alcohol or drugs.

If your debts are primarily consumer debts, the court can dismiss your chapter 7 case if it finds that you have enough income to repay creditors a certain amount. You must file *Chapter 7 Statement of Your Current Monthly Income* (Official Form 122A–1) if you are an individual filing for bankruptcy under chapter 7. This form will determine your current monthly income and compare whether your income is more than the median income that applies in your state.

If your income is not above the median for your state, you will not have to complete the other chapter 7 form, the *Chapter 7 Means Test Calculation* (Official Form 122A–2).

If your income is above the median for your state, you must file a second form —the *Chapter 7 Means Test Calculation* (Official Form 122A–2). The calculations on the form— sometimes called the *Means Test*—deduct from your income living expenses and payments on certain debts to determine any amount available to pay unsecured creditors. If

your income is more than the median income for your state of residence and family size, depending on the results of the *Means Test*, the U.S. trustee, bankruptcy administrator, or creditors can file a motion to dismiss your case under § 707(b) of the Bankruptcy Code. If a motion is filed, the court will decide if your case should be dismissed. To avoid dismissal, you may choose to proceed under another chapter of the Bankruptcy Code.

If you are an individual filing for chapter 7 bankruptcy, the trustee may sell your property to pay your debts, subject to your right to exempt the property or a portion of the proceeds from the sale of the property. The property, and the proceeds from property that your bankruptcy trustee sells or liquidates that you are entitled to, is called *exempt property*. Exemptions may enable you to keep your home, a car, clothing, and household items or to receive some of the proceeds if the property is sold.

Exemptions are not automatic. To exempt property, you must list it on *Schedule C: The Property You Claim as Exempt* (Official Form 106C). If you do not list the property, the trustee may sell it and pay all of the proceeds to your creditors.

#### **Chapter 11: Reorganization**

\$1,167 filing fee

+ \$550 administrative fee \$1,717 total fee

Chapter 11 is often used for reorganizing a business, but is also available to individuals. The provisions of chapter 11 are too complicated to summarize briefly.

#### **Read These Important Warnings**

Because bankruptcy can have serious long-term financial and legal consequences, including loss of your property, you should hire an attorney and carefully consider all of your options before you file. Only an attorney can give you legal advice about what can happen as a result of filing for bankruptcy and what your options are. If you do file for bankruptcy, an attorney can help you fill out the forms properly and protect you, your family, your home, and your possessions.

Although the law allows you to represent yourself in bankruptcy court, you should understand that many people find it difficult to represent themselves successfully. The rules are technical, and a mistake or inaction may harm you. If you file without an attorney, you are still responsible for knowing and following all of the legal requirements.

You should not file for bankruptcy if you are not eligible to file or if you do not intend to file the necessary documents.

Bankruptcy fraud is a serious crime; you could be fined and imprisoned if you commit fraud in your bankruptcy case. Making a false statement, concealing property, or obtaining money or property by fraud in connection with a bankruptcy case can result in fines up to \$250,000, or imprisonment for up to 20 years, or both. 18 U.S.C. §§ 152, 1341, 1519, and 3571.

## Chapter 12: Repayment plan for family farmers or fishermen

	\$200	filing fee
+	\$75	administrative fee
	\$275	total fee

Similar to chapter 13, chapter 12 permits family farmers and fishermen to repay their debts over a period of time using future earnings and to discharge some debts that are not paid.

# Chapter 13: Repayment plan for individuals with regular income

	\$235	filing fee
+	\$75	administrative fee
	\$310	total fee

Chapter 13 is for individuals who have regular income and would like to pay all or part of their debts in installments over a period of time and to discharge some debts that are not paid. You are eligible for chapter 13 only if your debts are not more than certain dollar amounts set forth in 11 U.S.C. § 109.

Under chapter 13, you must file with the court a plan to repay your creditors all or part of the money that you owe them, usually using your future earnings. If the court approves your plan, the court will allow you to repay your debts, as adjusted by the plan, within 3 years or 5 years, depending on your income and other factors.

After you make all the payments under your plan, many of your debts are discharged. The debts that are not discharged and that you may still be responsible to pay include:

domestic support obligations,

most student loans,

certain taxes,

debts for fraud or theft,

debts for fraud or defalcation while acting in a fiduciary capacity,

most criminal fines and restitution obligations,

certain debts that are not listed in your bankruptcy papers,

certain debts for acts that caused death or personal injury, and

certain long-term secured debts.

#### Warning: File Your Forms on Time

Section 521(a)(1) of the Bankruptcy Code requires that you promptly file detailed information about your creditors, assets, liabilities, income, expenses and general financial condition. The court may dismiss your bankruptcy case if you do not file this information within the deadlines set by the Bankruptcy Code, the Bankruptcy Rules, and the local rules of the court.

For more information about the documents and their deadlines, go to: <a href="http://www.uscourts.gov/bkforms/bankruptcy\_forms.html">http://www.uscourts.gov/bkforms/bankruptcy\_forms.html</a>#procedure.

#### Bankruptcy crimes have serious consequences

If you knowingly and fraudulently conceal assets or make a false oath or statement under penalty of perjury—either orally or in writing—in connection with a bankruptcy case, you may be fined, imprisoned, or both.

All information you supply in connection with a bankruptcy case is subject to examination by the Attorney General acting through the Office of the U.S. Trustee, the Office of the U.S. Attorney, and other offices and employees of the U.S. Department of Justice.

#### Make sure the court has your mailing address

The bankruptcy court sends notices to the mailing address you list on *Voluntary Petition for Individuals Filing for Bankruptcy* (Official Form 101). To ensure that you receive information about your case, Bankruptcy Rule 4002 requires that you notify the court of any changes in your address.

A married couple may file a bankruptcy case together—called a *joint case*. If you file a joint case and each spouse lists the same mailing address on the bankruptcy petition, the bankruptcy court generally will mail you and your spouse one copy of each notice, unless you file a statement with the court asking that each spouse receive separate copies.

## Understand which services you could receive from credit counseling agencies

The law generally requires that you receive a credit counseling briefing from an approved credit counseling agency. 11 U.S.C. § 109(h). If you are filing a joint case, both spouses must receive the briefing. With limited exceptions, you must receive it within the 180 days *before* you file your bankruptcy petition. This briefing is usually conducted by telephone or on the Internet.

In addition, after filing a bankruptcy case, you generally must complete a financial management instructional course before you can receive a discharge. If you are filing a joint case, both spouses must complete the course.

You can obtain the list of agencies approved to provide both the briefing and the instructional course from: <a href="http://justice.gov/ust/eo/hapcpa/ccde/cc\_approved.html">http://justice.gov/ust/eo/hapcpa/ccde/cc\_approved.html</a>

In Alabama and North Carolina, go to: <a href="http://www.uscourts.gov/FederalCourts/Bankruptcy/BankruptcyResources/ApprovedCredit">http://www.uscourts.gov/FederalCourts/Bankruptcy/Bankruptcy/BankruptcyResources/ApprovedCredit</a> AndDebtCounselors.aspx.

If you do not have access to a computer, the clerk of the bankruptcy court may be able to help you obtain the list.

#### UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS

## RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES AGREEMENT BETWEEN CHAPTER 13 DEBTORS AND THEIR ATTORNEYS

#### (Court-Approved Retention Agreement, Revised as of 4/20/2015)

Chapter 13 gives debtors important rights, such as the right to keep property that could otherwise be lost through repossession or foreclosure, but Chapter 13 also puts burdens on debtors, such as the burden of making complete and truthful disclosures of their financial situation. It is important for debtors who file a Chapter 13 bankruptcy case to understand their rights and responsibilities in bankruptcy. In this connection, the advice of an attorney is often crucial. Debtors are entitled to certain services from their attorneys, but debtors also have responsibilities to their attorneys. In order to assure that debtors and their attorneys understand their rights and responsibilities in the Chapter 13 process, the judges of the Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Illinois have approved this agreement, setting out the rights and responsibilities of both debtors in Chapter 13 and their attorneys, including how their attorneys will be paid for their services in the Chapter 13 case. By signing this agreement, debtors and their attorneys accept these responsibilities.

The Bankruptcy Code may require a debtor's attorney to provide the debtor with certain documents and agreements at the start of the representation. The terms of this court-approved agreement take the place of any conflicting provision in an earlier agreement. This agreement cannot be modified in any way by other agreements. Any provision of another agreement between the debtors and the attorney that conflicts with this agreement is void.

#### A. BEFORE THE CASE IS FILED

#### THE DEBTOR AGREES TO:

- 1. Discuss with the attorney the debtor's objectives in filing the case.
- 2. Provide the attorney with full, accurate and timely information, financial and otherwise, including properly documented proof of income.

#### THE ATTORNEY AGREES TO:

- 1. Personally counsel the debtor regarding the advisability of filing either a Chapter 13 or a Chapter 7 case, discuss both procedures (as well as non-bankruptcy options) with the debtor, and answer the debtor's questions.
- 2. Personally explain to the debtor that the attorney is being engaged to represent the debtor on all matters arising in the case, as required by Local Bankruptcy Rule, and explain how and when the attorney's fees and the trustee's fees are determined and paid.
- 3. Personally review with the debtor and sign the completed petition, plan, statements, and schedules, as well as all amendments thereto, whether filed with the petition or later. (The schedules may be initially prepared with the help of clerical or paralegal staff of the attorney's office, but personal attention of the attorney is required for the review and signing.)
- 4. Timely prepare and file the debtor's petition, plan, statements, and schedules.

- 5. Explain to the debtor how, when, and where to make all necessary payments, including both payments that must be made directly to creditors and payments that must be made to the Chapter 13 trustee, with particular attention to housing and vehicle payments.
- 6. Advise the debtor of the need to maintain appropriate insurance.

#### B. AFTER THE CASE IS FILED

#### THE DEBTOR AGREES TO:

- 1. Make the required payments to the trustee and to whatever creditors are being paid directly, or, if required payments cannot be made, to notify the attorney immediately.
- 2. Appear punctually at the meeting of creditors (also called the "341 meeting") with recent proof of income and a picture identification card. (If the identification card does not include the debtor's social security number, the debtor must also bring to the meeting a social security card.) The debtor must be present in time for check-in and when the case is called for the actual examination.
- 3. Notify the attorney of any change in the debtor's address or telephone number.
- 4. Inform the attorney of any wage garnishments or liens or levies on assets that occur or continue after the filing of the case.
- 5. Contact the attorney immediately if the debtor loses employment, has a significant change in income, or experiences any other significant change in financial situation (such as serious illness, marriage, divorce or separation, lottery winnings, or an inheritance).
- 6. Notify the attorney if the debtor is sued or wishes to file a lawsuit (including divorce.)
- 7. Inform the attorney if any tax refunds to which the debtor is entitled are seized or not received when due from the IRS or Illinois Department of Revenue.
- 8. Contact the attorney before buying, refinancing, or selling real property, and before entering into any loan agreement.
- 9. Supply the attorney with copies of all tax returns filed while the case is pending.

#### THE ATTORNEY AGREES TO:

- 1. Advise the debtor of the requirement to attend the meeting of creditors, and notify the debtor of the date, time, and place of the meeting.
- 2. Inform the debtor that the debtor must be punctual and, in the case of a joint filing, that both spouses must appear at the same meeting.
- 3. Provide knowledgeable legal representation for the debtor at the meeting of creditors (in time for check-in and the actual examination) and, unless excused by the trustee, for the confirmation hearing.
- 4. If the attorney will be employing another attorney to attend the 341 meeting or any court hearing, personally explain to the debtor in advance, the role and identity of the other

attorney and provide the other attorney with the file in sufficient time to review it and properly represent the debtor.

- 5. Timely submit to the Chapter 13 trustee properly documented proof of income for the debtor, including business reports for self-employed debtors.
- 6. Timely respond to objections to plan confirmation and, where necessary, prepare, file, and serve an amended plan.
- 7. Timely prepare, file, and serve any necessary statements, amended statements, and schedules and any change of address, in accordance with information provided by the debtor.
- 8. Monitor all incoming case information (including, but not limited to, Order Confirming Plan, Notice of Intent to Pay Claims, and 6-month status reports) for accuracy and completeness. Contact the trustee promptly regarding any discrepancies.
- 9. Be available to respond to the debtor's questions throughout the term of the plan.
- 10. Prepare, file, and serve timely modifications to the plan after confirmation, when necessary, including modifications to suspend, lower, or increase plan payments.
- 11. Prepare, file, and serve necessary motions to buy or sell property and to incur debt.
- 12. Object to improper or invalid claims.
- 13. Timely respond to the Chapter 13 trustee's motions to dismiss the case, such as for payment default, or unfeasibility, and to motions to increase the percentage payment to unsecured creditors.
- 14. Timely respond to motions for relief from stay.
- 15. Prepare, file, and serve all appropriate motions to avoid liens.
- 16. Provide any other legal services necessary for the administration of the case.

## C. TERMINATION OR CONVERSION OF THE CASE AFTER ENTRY OF AN ORDER APPROVING FEES AND EXPENSES

- 1. Approved fees and expenses paid under the provisions set out below are generally not refundable in the event that the case is dismissed prior to its completion, unless the dismissal is due to a failure by the attorney to comply with the duties set out in this agreement. If such a dismissal is due to a failure by the attorney, the court may order a refund of fees on motion by the debtor.
- 2. If the case is dismissed after approval of the fees and expenses but before payment of all allowed fees and expenses, the order entered by the Bankruptcy Court allowing the fees and expenses is not a judgment against the debtor for the unpaid fees and expenses based on contract law or otherwise.
- 3. If the case is converted to a case under chapter 7 after approval of the fees and expenses under this agreement but before the payment of all fees and expenses, the attorney will be entitled to an administrative claim in the chapter 7 case for any unpaid fees and expenses, pursuant to section

726(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, plus any conversion fee the attorney pays on behalf of the debtor.

#### D. RETAINERS AND PREVIOUS PAYMENTS

1. The attorney may receive a retainer or other payment before filing the case but may not receive fees directly from the debtor after the filing of the case. Unless the following provision is checked and completed, any retainer received by the attorney will be treated as a security retainer, to be placed in the attorney's client trust account until approval of a fee application by the court.

□The attorney seeks to have the retainer received by the attorney treated as an advance payment retainer, which allows the attorney to take the retainer into income immediately. The attorney hereby provides the following further information and representations:

- (a) The special purpose for the advance payment retainer and why it is advantageous to the debtor is as follows:
- (b) The retainer will not be held in a client trust account and will become property of the attorney upon payment and will be deposited into the attorney's general account;
- (c) The retainer is a flat fee for the services to be rendered during the chapter 13 case and will be applied for such services without the need for the attorney to keep detailed hourly time records for the specific services performed for the debtor;
- (d) Any portion of the retainer that is not earned or required for expenses will be refunded to the client; and
- (e) The attorney is unwilling to represent the debtor without receiving an advanced payment retainer because of the nature of the chapter 13 case, the fact that the great majority of services for such case are performed prior to its filing, and the risks associated with the representation of debtors in bankruptcy cases in general.
- 2. In any application for compensation the attorney must disclose to the court any fees or other compensation paid by the debtor to the attorney for any reason within the one year before the case filing.

#### E. CONDUCT AND DISCHARGE

- 1. *Improper conduct by the attorney*. If the debtor disputes the sufficiency or quality of the legal services provided or the amount of the fees charged by the attorney, the debtor may file an objection with the court and request a hearing.
- 2. *Improper conduct by the debtor*. If the attorney believes that the debtor is not complying with the debtor's responsibilities under this agreement or is otherwise engaging in improper conduct, the attorney may apply for a court order allowing the attorney to withdraw from the case.
- 3. Discharge of the attorney. The debtor may discharge the attorney at any time.

#### F. ALLOWANCE AND PAYMENT OF ATTORNEYS' FEES AND EXPENSES

- 1. Any attorney retained to represent a debtor in a Chapter 13 case is responsible for representing the debtor on all matters arising in the case unless otherwise ordered by the court. For all of the services outlined above, the attorney will be paid a flat fee of \$2,300.00
- 2. In addition, the debtor will pay the filing fee required in the case of \$310.00
- 3. Before signing this agreement, the attorney has received , \$2,300.00 toward the flat fee, leaving a balance due of \$0.00; and \$0.00 for expenses,

leaving a balance due for the filing fee of \$0.00

4. In extraordinary circumstances, such as extended evidentiary hearings or appeals, the attorney may apply to the court for additional compensation for these services. Any such application must be accompanied by an itemization of the services rendered, showing the date, the time expended, and the identity of the attorney performing the services. The debtor must be served with a copy of the application and notified of the right to appear in court to object.

Date: August 1, 2016				
Signed:				
/s/ Luis M. Contreras	/s/ Daniel F. D'Attomo			
Luis M. Contreras	Daniel F. D'Attomo 38461			
	Attorney for the Debtor(s)			
Debtor(s)				
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## **United States Bankruptcy Court**Northern District of Illinois

In re	Luis M. Contreras		Case No.	
		Debtor(s)	Chapter	13
	DISCLOSURE OF COMPEN	SATION OF ATTOR	NEY FOR DE	CBTOR(S)
C	Pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 329(a) and Fed. Bankr. P. 2016(becompensation paid to me within one year before the filing per rendered on behalf of the debtor(s) in contemplation of	of the petition in bankruptcy,	or agreed to be paid	to me, for services rendered or to
	For legal services, I have agreed to accept		<u> </u>	2,300.00
	Prior to the filing of this statement I have received		s	2,300.00
	Balance Due			0.00
2. 1	The source of the compensation paid to me was:			
	■ Debtor □ Other (specify):			
3. 7	The source of compensation to be paid to me is:			
	■ Debtor □ Other (specify):			
4. l	■ I have not agreed to share the above-disclosed compet	nsation with any other person u	unless they are memb	pers and associates of my law firm.
ı	☐ I have agreed to share the above-disclosed compensation copy of the agreement, together with a list of the name			
5. ]	In return for the above-disclosed fee, I have agreed to reno	der legal service for all aspects	s of the bankruptcy c	ase, including:
b c	<ul> <li>Analysis of the debtor's financial situation, and rendering.</li> <li>Preparation and filing of any petition, schedules, stater Representation of the debtor at the meeting of creditors.</li> <li>[Other provisions as needed]         Negotiations with secured creditors to represent the reaffirmation agreements and application 522(f)(2)(A) for avoidance of liens on house.     </li> </ul>	ment of affairs and plan which s and confirmation hearing, an duce to market value; exe s as needed; preparation	may be required; d any adjourned hear mption planning;	rings thereof;
6. I	By agreement with the debtor(s), the above-disclosed fee of Representation of the debtors in any discretizany other adversary proceeding.	does not include the following chargeability actions, judio	service: cial lien avoidance	es, relief from stay actions or
		CERTIFICATION		
	certify that the foregoing is a complete statement of any ankruptcy proceeding.	agreement or arrangement for	payment to me for re	epresentation of the debtor(s) in
Α	ugust 1, 2016	/s/ Daniel F. D'Atte	omo	
Do	ate	Daniel F. D'Attom Signature of Attorne The D'Attomo Lav 4257 North Milwa Suite B Chicago, IL 60641 773-932-2100 Fax	v Firm ukee Avenue x: 847-737-4135	
		tami@golegalsup  Name of law firm	port.com	

### United States Bankruptcy Court Northern District of Illinois

In re	Luis M. Contreras		Case No.	
		Debtor(s)	Chapter 13	
	VERIFICATION OF CREDITOR MATRIX			
		Number of Creditors: 3		
	The above-named Debtor(s) hereby verifies that the list of creditors is true and correct to the best of my (our) knowledge.			
Date:	August 1, 2016	/s/ Luis M. Contreras Luis M. Contreras Signature of Debtor		

Nationstar Mortgage LLC 8950 Cypress Waters Blvd Coppell, TX 75019

Pnc Bank 249 5th Sve Ste 30 Pittsburgh, PA 15222

Prnto Prstms 1750 Todd Farm Dri Elgin, IL 60123